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<b>Applicants:</b>	Rosann Marie Kaylor <i>et al.</i>	<b>Docket No.:</b>	18264 (64095201)
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<b>Confirmation No:</b>	5357	<b>Examiner:</b>	Michael Apanius
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<b>For:</b>	Detection of Premature Rupture of the Amniotic Membrane		

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**RESPONSE TO EXAMINER'S OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 and in response to the Office Action mailed August 28, 2006, the following amendments and remarks are submitted for your consideration.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.